House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 986–1031; and 7 resolutions, H.J. Res. 43, and H. Res. 102–104, 106–108, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows: H. Res. 105, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 840) to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide child care assistance to veterans receiving certain medical services provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs; providing for the adoption of the resolution (H. Res. 86) providing amounts for the expenses of the Select Committee on the Climate Crisis and the Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress; and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (H. Rept. 116–6).

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Thompson (MS) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 10:12 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon. Page H1366

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the Guest Chaplain, Rabbi Arnold E. Resnicoff, United States Navy Chaplain, Retired, Washington, DC.

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Speaker Pro Tempore Designations: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Hoyer, Representative Clyburn, Representative Scott (VA), Representative Cummings, Representative Matsui, Representative Sarbanes, Representative Connolly, Representative Beyer, Representative Brown (MD), Representative McEachin, and Representative Raskin to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through the remainder of the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Pacific Northwest Earthquake Preparedness Act of 2019: H.R. 876, amended, to direct the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to carry out a plan for thepurchase and installation of an earthquake early warning system for the Cascadia SubductionZone; Pages H1368–70

Fairness For Breastfeeding Mothers Act of 2019: H.R. 866, to provide a lactation room in public buildings; Pages H1371-72

Requiring the Federal Railroad Administration to provide appropriate congressional notice of comprehensive safety assessments conducted with respect to intercity or commuter rail passenger transportation: H.R. 543, to require the Federal RailroadAdministration to provide appropriate congressional notice of comprehensive safetyassessments conducted with respect to intercity or commuter rail passenger transportation;

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Reviving America's Scenic Byways Act of 2019: H.R. 831, to direct the Secretary of Transportation to request nominations for and make determinations regarding roads to be designated under the national scenic byways program, by a ²/₃ yea-and-nay vote of 404 yeas to 19 nays, Roll No. 66; and

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Route 66 Centennial Commission Act: H.R. 66, to establish the Route 66 CentennialCommission, to direct the Secretary of Transportation to prepare a plan on the preservationneeds of Route 66, by a ²/₃ yea-and-nay vote of 399 yeas to 22 nays, Roll No. 67.

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Recess: The House recessed at 1:06 p.m. and reconvened at 1:31 p.m. Page H1377

Committee Election: The House agreed to H. Res. 103, electing Members to a certainstanding committee of the House of Representatives.

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Recess: The House recessed at 3:50 p.m. and reconvened at 4:36 p.m. **Page H1388**

Senate Referrals: S. 49 was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. S. 1 was held at the desk.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on page H1368.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1377 and H1377–78. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 4:38 p.m.

Committee Meetings

OVERSIGHT HEARING: IMPACT OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S POLICIES AFFECTING THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on the Departments of Labor, Healthand Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held a hearing entitled "OversightHearing: Impact of the Administration's Policies Affecting the Affordable Care Act". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.